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**BETAH Wins Multiple Federal Contracts
*Business Continues to Grow at the GSA-Schedule Firm***

Bethesda, MD—The first half of this fiscal year launched another growth period for BETAH Associates, Inc. Since October 1, 2004, the award-winning professional services firm has won three Federal contracts through the U.S. Government's leading procurement solution for Federal agencies worldwide—the GSA Schedules Program.

BETAH's new business comes from the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) and the U.S. Navy. HHS selected BETAH to provide integrated marketing and project management services to the National Institute of Diabetes and Digestive and Kidney Diseases' (NIDDK) Weight-control Information Network (WIN), the Administration on Aging (AoA), and the Administration on Developmental Disabilities (ADD).

HHS, the Federal Government's principal agency for protecting the health of all Americans, is a longstanding client of BETAH. For nearly 20 years, BETAH has provided services to numerous HHS agencies and offices.

BETAH's most recent HHS work involves reaching out to various populations across the spectrums of race, ethnicity, age, income, and ability. For example, NIDDK-WIN provides science-based information on weight control, obesity, physical activity, and related nutritional issues to the general public, health professionals, Congress, and the media. AoA advocates for the Nation's 35.6 million older Americans and works to heighten awareness about the valuable contributions they make to our communities. ADD is responsible for implementing the Developmental Disabilities Assistance and Bill of Rights Act of 2000.

BETAH also continues to grow at the Patuxent River Naval Air Station (PAX River) in St. Mary's County, MD. Since 2003, BETAH has provided onsite administrative and clerical services at the Navy's principal site for naval aircraft operations. BETAH recently won several new task orders under an existing contract that resulted in a doubling of its staff at PAX River.

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Founded by Wilhelmina Bell-Taylor in 1988, BETAH is a small, minority- and woman-owned business headquartered in Bethesda, MD. Ms. Bell-Taylor credits BETAH's corporate values and employees with the firm's ongoing success. "At BETAH, we deeply value the trust and confidence our clients place in us. Our infrastructure is solid, and our employees bring to every project the necessary skills to deliver outstanding solutions. We're honored to support the important work of HHS and the Navy."

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